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SUBJECT: CHINESE JUNK IN VIETNAMESE WATERS

REF: DANANG 0636 (NOTAL)

1. AMCONSUL DANANG HAS REPORTED (REFTEL) THAT ON NOVEMBER 22 A CHINESE JUNK WAS SPOTTED ADRIFT IN VIETNAMESE WATERS SOME 50 MILES NORTH OF DANANG (UTM COORDINATES YD 720550). TWO VIETNAMESE NAVY (VNN) VESSELS APPROACHED TO CONDUCT SEARCH, FINDING FIVE CHINESE AND A LOAD OF BRICKS FROM HAINAN ISLAND. THE CREW MEMBERS OF THE JUNK ARE BEING HELD AT HQS, 1ST COASTAL ZONE AT DANANG.

2. FYI ONLY: ACCORDING TO VNN SOURCES THE CHINESE (ACTUALLY ETHNIC NUNGS) ARE, IN FACT, REFUGEES WHO, ACCORDING TO THEIR STORY, HAD PLANNED ESCAPE FOR SOME TIME. GVN AUTHORITIES HAVE ISSUED INTRUCTIONS TO EXERCISE GREATEST
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CARE IN HANDLING OF GROUP. END FYI.

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